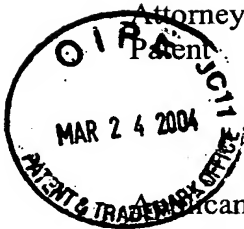


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: G. Michael Higgins
Serial No.: 10/697,410
Filed: October 30, 2003
For: AUTOMATED SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EVALUATING
INSURABLE RISKS AT POINT OF SALE

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.182 TO CORRECT THE INVENTOR'S NAME

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Sir:

Petitioner requests correction of the above identified application under 37 CFR 1.182.

The present application was filed as on October 30, 2003 including a transmittal letter, specification and unsigned declaration stating the inventor to be "Higgins, Michael G." The inventor's name is correctly stated as "G. Michael Higgins". The filing receipt mailed January 29, 2004 states the inventor's name as "Michael G. Higgins". A declaration signed by the inventor and correctly stating his name as "G. Michael Higgins" accompanies this petition.

Applicant hereby requests that the application be corrected to reflect that the present applicant is "G. Michael Higgins" and that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office issue a corrected filing receipt with the inventor listed as "G. Michael Higgins".

A check in the amount of \$130 for the fee prescribed at 37 CFR 1.17(h) is enclosed. If additional fees are due, or if there is an overpayment, additional fees may be charged, or any overpayment in fees may be credited, to the Account of Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 02-1010 (26893-82693).

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